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ebredated Bogosloff reef, finding 800 fathoms without bottom where it is laid down on the chart. We found the magnetic variation to be less easterly than when the last observations were taken. During our leisure natural history was not neglected, and we now have a magnificent geographical collection, especially in marine invertebrates. In birds, too, we did very well, and especially in prehistoric relics. We found no Asiatic influence in the western islands but a more predominating Arctic type of fauna and flora as we went west. We got several hundred wood carvings from caves, about three hundred bone and stone implements and thirty-six prehistoric crania and some later ones.

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